

## House Resolution No. 2857

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives welcome with pleasure the opportunity to recognize a remarkable Missouri citizen whose efforts and accomplishments have made her a source of inspiration to all those around her; and

**Whereas**, Kathy Lambert, a resident of St. Charles, Missouri, has been chosen as a recipient of the Athena Leadership Foundation of St. Charles County Award, a most impressive accolade to be bestowed upon her on May 6, 2005; and

**Whereas**, Kathy Lambert has distinguished herself in the business world as the co-founder and co-director of Connections to Success, an organization which helps women transition from incarceration, impoverishment, or abusive and disabling situations into economic self-reliance; and

**Whereas**, Kathy Lambert has also provided leadership to Women and Children Together, an advocacy group for incarcerated women, and the Putting Kids First Campaign for St. Charles County; and

**Whereas**, active in her community, Kathy Lambert serves on the boards of Pioneer Bank and Trust, the St. Charles Chamber, ESPW (Encouraging, Promoting, and Supporting Women), and Focus St. Louis; and as a member of the Women's Advisory Board and the Calvary Church West, where she leads a small group and the community ministries; and

**Whereas**, Kathy Lambert has also enjoyed recognition by forming Dress for Success Midwest in 1998 to provide interview-appropriate clothing to women entering or re-entering the workforce, playing an instrumental role in the establishment of the Professional Women's Group in 1999 to help women to advance in careers and education, and serving on the planning committee for the inaugural St. Charles County Women's Prayer Breakfast in 2004:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Kathy Lambert for her selection to receive the Athena Leadership Foundation of St. Charles County Award and in further wishing her continued success in all future endeavors; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Kathy Lambert.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Sally A. Faith, Dist. No. 15  
Representative Carl Bearden, Dist. No. 16  
Representative Tom Dempsey, Dist. No. 18  
Representative Joe Smith, Dist. No. 14  
Representative Cynthia L. Davis, Dist. No. 19  
Representative Vicki A. Schneider, Dist. No. 17  
Representative Kevin Threlkeld, Dist. No. 109  
Representative Sherman Parker, Dist. No. 12  
Representative Scott T. Rupp, Dist. No. 13

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 2857, adopted May 3, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker